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### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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SURFACE-MOUNT SOLID ELECTROLYTIC CAPACITOR AND

PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURING SAME

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSIO

Mail Stop: AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

#### Dear Commissioner:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a 1-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed June 14, 2007, said period of response being extended from September 14, 2007 to October 15, 2007.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-3478 in the amount of \$120 to cover the required extension fee for a large entity.

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Respectfully submitted,

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